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Inventor : David D. Koester et al.

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RESONANCE VARIATION

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**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER
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Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

Applicant appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the Primary Examiner mailed January 14, 2003, finally rejecting claims 13 and 17-21 .

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Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(b) the fee for filing the Notice of Appeal is:

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These proceedings are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 apply.

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Notice of Appeal fee \$320

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Respectfully submitted,
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